



2005 ASSEMBLY BILL 1048

February 20, 2006 – Introduced by Representatives FREESE, RICHARDS, VOS, HAHN, MURSAU, BERCEAU, OTT and HINES, cosponsored by Senator RISSER. Referred to Committee on Tourism.

1 **AN ACT relating to:** a statewide survey to identify and document rural historic
2 properties and making an appropriation.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, the State Historical Society is required to serve as the principal historic preservation agency of the state and in that capacity to carry out a program of preservation of historic properties. As part of that program, the State Historical Society is required to conduct an ongoing statewide survey to identify and document historic properties. This bill appropriates \$75,000 in each of fiscal years 2005–06 and 2006–07 for the State Historical Society to enter into a contract for a statewide survey to identify and document historic properties in rural areas of the state.

For further information see the *state* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

3 **SECTION 1. Appropriation changes.**

4 (1) SURVEY OF RURAL HISTORIC PROPERTIES. In the schedule under section 20.005

5 (3) of the statutes for the appropriation to the state historical society under section

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1 20.245 (1) (a) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of 2005, the dollar amount is
2 increased by \$75,000 for fiscal year 2005-06 and the dollar amount is increased by
3 \$75,000 for fiscal year 2006-07 for the purpose of entering into a contract for a survey
4 under section 44.34 (1) of the statutes to identify and document historic properties
5 in rural areas of the state.

6 (END)